

Update: Process to Develop Voluntary Clean Water Guidance for Nonpoint Sources



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- December 18, 2017-Full Advisory Group
- January 4, 2018-Full Advisory Group
- February 16, 2018-Full Advisory Group

- March 16, 2018-Effectiveness Work Group
- March 20, 2018-Implementation Work Group

Kick Off and First Meetings



Best Management Practice Categories

Agricultural Production Categories	Cropping Methods		Nutrient Management	Pesticide Management	Sediment Control		Water Management			Livestock Management		Riparian Area & Surface Water Protection
	Tillage & Residue Management	Crop Systems	Nutrient Budgets & Application (Organic, Inorganic)	Pesticide Storage, Planning & Application	Soil Stabilization & Sediment Capture (Vegetative)	Soil Stabilization & Sediment Capture (Structural)	Irrigation Systems & Management	Field Drainage & Drain Tile Management	Stormwater Control & Diversion	Pasture & Rangeland Grazing	Animal Confinement, Manure Handling & Storage	Riparian & Field Buff
Dryland Crop Production	•	•	•	•	•	•		•				•
Livestock Grazing			•		•			•		•		•
Animal Feeding ¹					•	•			•		•	•
Irrigated Row Crops	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•				•
Hay/Silage (including seed)	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•				•
Vegetable (including seed)	•		•	•	•	•	•	•				•
Vineyard			•	•	•	•	•					•
Berry			•	•	•	•	•	•				•
Tree Fruit		•	•	•	•	•	•					•
Tree Farm (Christmas, poplar)			•	•	•							•
Flower Bulb			•	•	•			•				•
Herb (mint, hop, medicinal)			•	•	•		•	•				•
Turf/Sod			•	•			•					•
Small Scale/Lifestyle Farm			•		•			•	•	•	•	•

1. Animal feeding operations often grow irrigated feed (row) crops such as hay, alfalfa, corn and other feed grains. Animal feeding operations may also include grazing or free range areas.

How are we organizing the work?



- Tillage and Residue Management
- Soil Stabilization and Sediment Capture (vegetative)
- Animal Confinement, Manure Handling, and Storage
- Riparian Area and Field Buffers
- Pasture and Rangeland Grazing

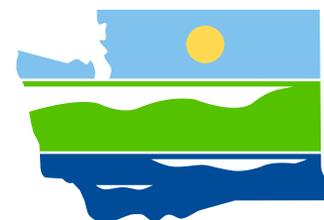
First Practice Categories



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- June meetings (effectiveness and implementation workgroups).
- Field trips – some are already set and more to come this summer.

Next Steps



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Questions and Discussion

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